

### **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

In response to the Examiner's further Office Action of April 10, 2009 the Applicant respectfully submits the accompanying Amendment of the claims and the below Remarks.

#### ***Regarding Amendment***

In the Amendment:

independent claim 1 is amended to clarify that the heat conduction means is positioned in the middle of the passive bend layer so as to be spaced from the heating layer. Support for this amendment can be found at page 4, line 19-26 of the present specification; and

dependent claims 2-6 are unchanged.

It is respectfully submitted that the above amendments do not add new matter to the present application.

#### ***Regarding 35 USC 102(b) Rejections***

It is respectfully submitted that the subject matter of amended independent claim 1, and claims 2-6 dependent therefrom, is not disclosed by Silverbrook, because the aluminium layer 27 is not positioned in the middle of a passive bend layer but is an independent layer connected to the ITO layer 29 (see col. 6, lines 16-67), which is contrary to the claimed invention.

It is respectfully submitted that all of the Examiner's rejections have been traversed. Accordingly, it is submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance and reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

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